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SENATOR JANSSEN: Yes.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: You would reduce the amount that must go to those funds from 25 percent to 15 percent.

SENATOR JANSSEN: To no less than 15 percent, right.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Members of the Legislature, I am opposed to that being done. I am opposed to the bill, obviously, but I waged a war on one aspect of the committee amendment and I will not, at this time, go after that other part while it's being considered for adoption as a part of the committee amendments. But if this committee amendment is adopted, then LB 791 is going to be in front of us for a long, long time, and I don't know if Senator Janssen and Senator "Bakee" can get 33 votes to end discussion of this terrible bill. But it may not be necessary for us to go that far if my other amendment is adopted. I doubt that we will get started on it today, but it's very thick. I want to assure you that if you read the first paragraph or so of material on the first page, you will see what that amendment is going to do. The other pages, the very numerous pages are there because the term "state lottery", or whatever it is, must be stricken from every provision of statute where it is found. So those pages that follow the first page accomplish that technical chore. The significant language in that very thick amendment will be found in the first paragraph on page 1. That's all you really need to read. You can read it all, though, because some people like to be well-educated and well-rounded. But I am opposed to the adoption of the committee amendments, and if the committee amendments are adopted, then I will fight against what they contain...

SENATOR SCHIMEK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...another day, but not necessarily at a different stage because this bill is not going to get off General File for a good long while.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Yours is the last light, so, Senator Janssen, would you like to close on the